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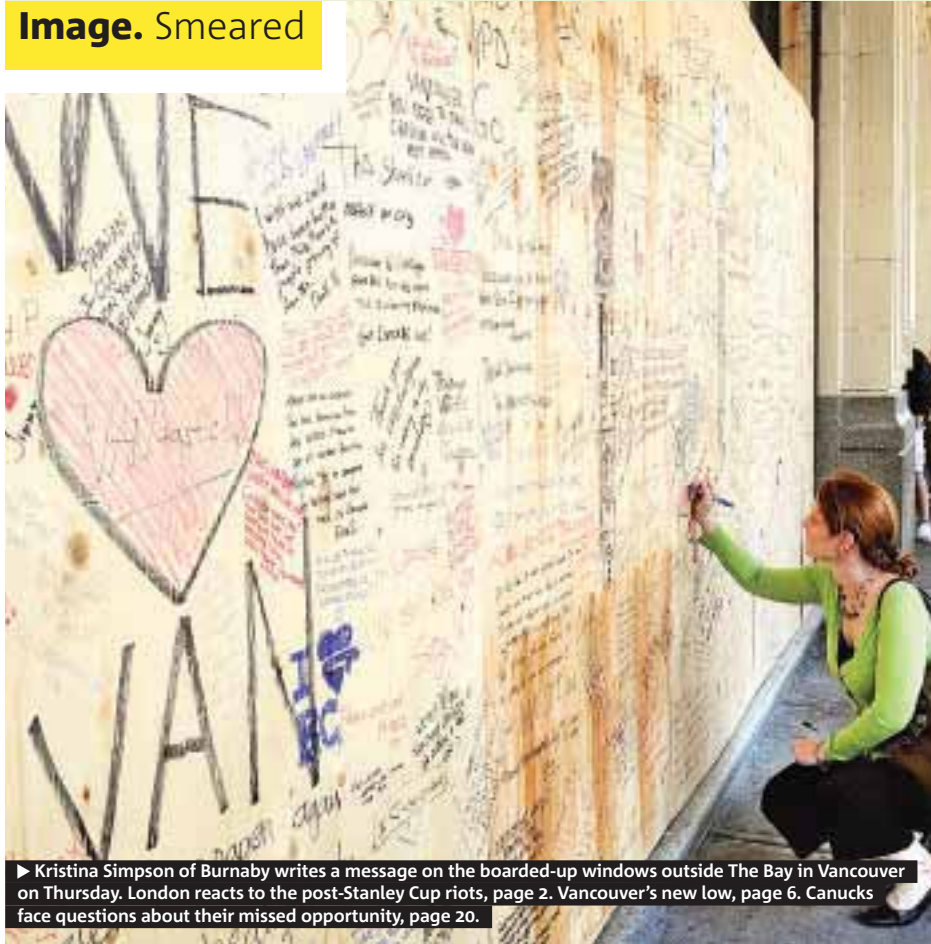
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► Kristina Simpson of Burnaby writes a message on the boarded-up windows outside The Bay in Vancouver on Thursday. London reacts to the post-Stanley Cup riots, page 2. Vancouver's new low, page 6. Canucks face questions about their missed opportunity, page 20.

JENNIFER GAUTHIER/FOR METRO

After losing the cup, Van tarnishes its reputation

## Air Canada strike resolved

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IBL pitcher says team chemistry keeps them in the No. 1 spot {page 4}

## Christina plays the blame game

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# Workin' at the car wash

► Proceeds raised go to Dreams Take Flight, The London Professional Fire Fighters Association, Boys and Girls Club of London  
► Saturday June 18 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., Central Fire Hall, 400 Horton St. E.

London firefighters will be rolling up their sleeves and getting the soap buckets out for the 12th annual Dreams Take Flight Car Wash and BBQ on Saturday.

Phill King, treasurer of the London Professional Fire Fighters Association, said for the last 12 years they've teamed up with Air Canada to send four kids selected by the Boys and Girls Club of London to Disney World.

"These are kids that otherwise wouldn't have the opportunity to go," said King. "The kids don't forget. It's a life-alternating experience for them."

King said starting last year Air Canada now sends one plane instead of two.

Since they had four kids on last years' Dreams Take Flight trip, they can send kids next year. This year's car wash is about raising the funds.

King said they hope to raise about \$2,000.

"We're hoping to wash between 200 and 300 cars," said

**"As firefighters, we want to support and give back to the community."**

PHILL KING, TREASURER OF THE LONDON PROFESSIONAL FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

King. "The more money we raise the more money we get to put back into the community."

From 9 p.m. until 3 p.m., Londoners can experience a firefighter-themed car wash.

Vehicles are pre-rinsed by the nozzle of London Fire Department Aerial Truck #2. Then cars are washed in the fire hall by volunteers. As vehicles exit the hall, they're rinsed off by fire hoses.

King said it's the Dreams Take Flight Car Wash and BBQ is a great place to bring your family.

"It's really become quite a family affair. My family is always involved and has been since we started," said King.

● MARINA BRKLJACA

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Social media gets put to work to help identify looters and rioters in Vancouver. More at [metronews.ca](http://metronews.ca)



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# Peddalling a new mode

KYLE REA/METRO

► Car Free Sundays last year proved popular, morphed into weekend-long events in London for 2011



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Nothing gets in the way of a good festival like plenty of traffic zooming down the road.

But this summer there will be eight car-free weekend festivals in the Forest City that will give visitors some exercise, encourage them to ride a bike and provide peace of mind when they're out and about.

Dundas Street will be closed between Wellington and Ridout streets on four festival weekends in the city's downtown while the other community events will see central streets in their neighbourhood closed off to vehicles.

Organized by the Urban League of London and working with the City of London, this year's schedule of festivals builds on the success of two Car Free Sundays in the Forest City last year.

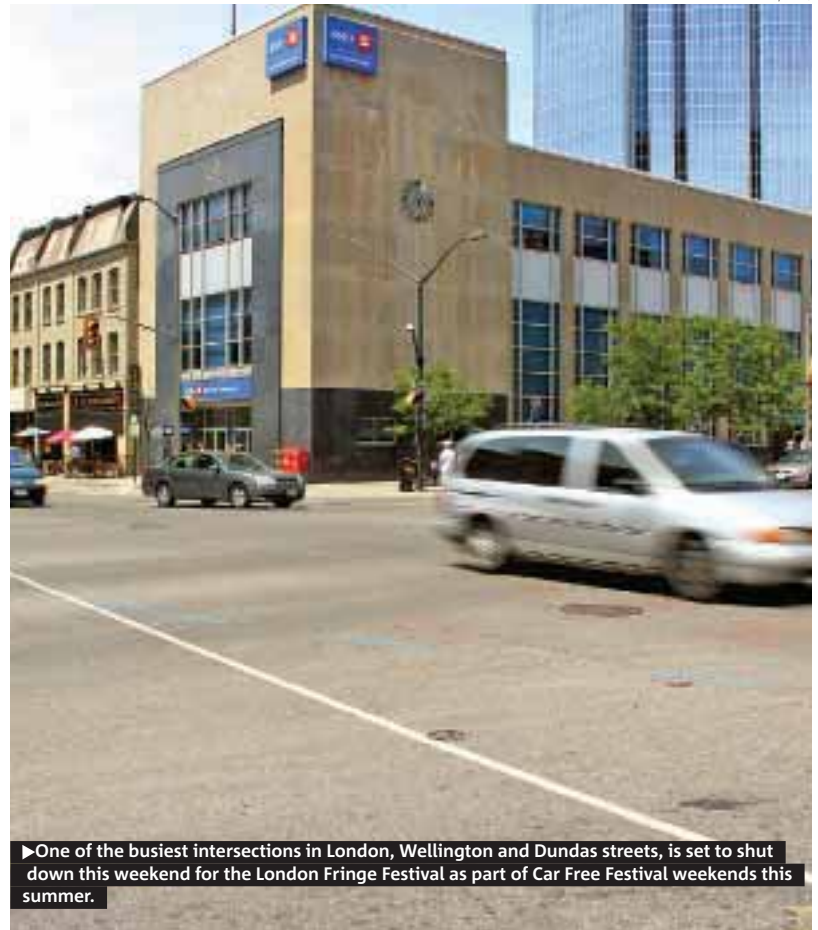
Organizer Ryan Craven explained they were so popular, particularly

## Dates:

- **June 17-18:** Kickoff for the 10-day London Fringe Festival.
- **July 1:** London Celebrates Canada Day.
- **August 6-7:** Our Street Festival.
- **Sept. 11:** Old South Community Festival in Wortley Village.
- **Sept. 17-8:** Doors Open London and the Oh!Fest indie music festival.
- Bicycle rentals through Purple Bikes at Western will be offered during the festivals.

among business owners, that they grew to weekend-long events this time around.

"A lot of people really liked the idea of the street being closed for the whole weekend. And so I was happy to expand that for them," he explained. "People seem to really enjoy the experience of walking down Dundas Street without cars."



► One of the busiest intersections in London, Wellington and Dundas streets, is set to shut down this weekend for the London Fringe Festival as part of Car Free Festival weekends this summer.

# Van City turns into riot city

- After the Canucks lost the Stanley Cup final, angry fans rampaged downtown streets
- We asked: Do you think the riots in Vancouver were a disgrace for Canada?



## 1

**Jocelyn Kerrigan**

"I think it's very silly. They are supposed to be celebrating how far they made it. The fact they are so immature is silly."



## 2

**Kali Kingscot**

"I think it's disgusting. As a fellow Canadian it's disgusting... It gives us all a bad name. Up here we are supposed to be nice Canadians."



## 3

**James Dobie**

"It's pretty embarrassing for Vancouver."



## 4

**Patrick Dobie**

"It's wrong. It's displaced anger. Be mad at the team and not the city."



## 5

**Darren McKernan**

"It's a little bit disgraceful and sad."



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# HOT OFF THE BAT THANKS TO SOME GREAT CHEMISTRY

## LIFE WITH THE MAJORS

MIKE ARSENAULT  
MAJORS PITCHER AND IBL INSIDER



**W**e've completed the first third of

the IBL season and the London Majors continue to hold the pole position on a regular-season championship. All of the players knew we had a good team coming out of spring training, but we'd be lying if we said we expected such a hot start.

And I think I may have stumbled upon the catalyst for our inspired play and I'm going to divulge it to all of you. This is a big deal: somewhere between the Caramilk secret and Ponce de Leon's search for the Fountain of Youth.

The London Majors' secret? Team unity and bonding.

It's true. Most players in the IBL either live in the same city as the organization or travel from other towns and cities within a short drive. On the other hand, the Majors recruit heavily all over Ontario, and from other provinces and countries.

As I mentioned in my introductory blurb, the team puts out-of-town players in the dorms at the University of Western Ontario (my regression in maturity is moving quite well, thank you very much).

Obviously, we spend a lot of time together before, during and after games and practices, but the players staying in the dorms are together each day and night. You become fast friends living in such a close environment.

The dorms also provide a central meeting point for the entire team to interact socially away from the ballpark. I would put chemistry on par with talent in the formula to construct a winning team.

All the talent in the world won't win a thing if teammates don't like each other or spend time apart away from the ballpark.

The Majors' team chemistry is so instrumental to our success that it should be nominated for a Nobel Prize.

### Game days

- ▶ London played in Kitchener last night.
- ▶ The Majors have a huge Father's Day double-header against the Barrie Baycats on Sunday afternoon at 1 p.m.
- ▶ They travel to Hamilton to take on the Thunderbirds tonight at 7:30 p.m.

# Hidden gems of Forest City

▶ London provides host of tourism options for city residents and visitors alike



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Londoners can be excused if they don't look at their hometown and think tourist destination.

After all, if you live in London, you've probably visited each and every hotspot, right?

Well, maybe not, because there are plenty of

tourism locations and services that not many visitors, let alone people who call London home, know about.

"There are so many hidden gems in the Forest City, it's hard to list them all," explained Joan Beaune of Tourism London, an expert when it comes to little-known destinations in London.

### Heard of these?

Here's a list of little-known attractions in the Forest City:

- ▶ **Double-decker tour bus:** Starting June 27, daily trips aboard a classic red double-decker bus are offered. Each trip is two hours and includes an informative guide and a visit to hotspots in London.
- ▶ **Canadian Medical Hall of Fame** — 267 Dundas St.: "It's the world's only national medical hall of fame and it's dedicated to celebrating the accomplishments of medical heroes. We get a lot of physicians who come in and they're astounded we have this here," said Beaune.
- ▶ **Jonathan Bancroft-Snell Gallery** — 255 Dundas St.: It's home to Canada's largest ceramic art collection, with 4,500 square feet of exhibit space.
- ▶ **Tree Trunk Tour:** Two local artists, Robbin Wenzoski and Neil Cox, have transformed trees in the downtown area into public artwork using chainsaws and a coat of enamel to protect them from the elements. For a full map click here: [londontourism.ca/treetrunktour](http://londontourism.ca/treetrunktour).
- ▶ **Labatt Park** — 25 Wilson Ave.: Also called Labatt Memorial Park, it's the world's oldest continually operating baseball grounds in the world, according to the Guinness Book of World Records, and dates back to 1877.
- ▶ **St. Paul's Cathedral** — 472 Richmond St.: While it's not really "hidden," the church is a gem as it's the oldest cathedral in London, with stained-glass windows valued at more than \$5 million.



▶ Joan Beaune from Tourism London shows off an authentic red double-decker bus that will offer tours around the Forest City starting June 27.

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## WHY DO PEOPLE CHOOSE TO COME TO LONDON?

When it comes to picking a tourist destination here in Ontario, thoughts often turn to Toronto, Niagara Falls or Ottawa.

But the Forest City? Joan Beaune from Tourism London certainly thinks so and wants potential visitors, and Londoners, to take another look at a city she calls the hub of southwestern Ontario.

Beaune said London deserves the hub moniker: It's centrally located between Buffalo, Detroit and Toronto, and it's about an hour away from three Great

Lakes, so it's within driving distance of almost everything in the area.

"We have an ideal geographic location. And London is safe, it's clean and there are festivals going on all summer that offer a bit of something for everyone. And we are really regarded as a cultural and historic gem. People come here to visit and they love all the historic architecture," she said. "Certainly staying in downtown London, there's always something to see and do." ● KYLE REA

### News in brief

## Men face child porn charges

Two men face child-pornography-related charges after they were arrested Thursday by the

London police cyber-crime unit. David Elliott Bico, 18, of London has been charged with six counts of making child pornography, five counts of possessing child porn and one charge of accessing child porn. London police began investigating this incident in February. Parry Dan, 42, of Toronto has been charged with

production of child pornography and conspiring and counselling to commit an indictable offence. His charges relate to a May police investigation. ● METRO

## Search turns up machine gun

A 31-year-old Welland

man, already charged after shots were fired downtown June 8, faces more criminal charges after police searched a vehicle and discovered a machine gun. Police say they recovered a Sten MKII machine gun and two high-capacity clips, and have charged Carlton Stewart with occupying a vehicle knowing it

contained a prohibited weapon. Stewart already faces seven charges, including possession of a dangerous weapon. ● METRO

## Local student art on display until Monday

The best and brightest

work by local students will be on display Saturday as the 47th annual Bealart exhibit returns for another year. The year-end festival showcases student art including painting, photography, printmaking and animation. The show runs until Monday and in years past has draw as many as 5,000 Londoners. ● METRO



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# Vancouver sets ugly new standard

► One official says violence worse than 1994 ► City police, mayor and British Columbia's premier vow to get tough on rioters



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Vancouver has outdone itself.

Seemingly living under the shadow of the city's 1994 Stanley Cup riots for 17 years, hooligans and vandals set an ugly new standard Wednesday night as chaos engulfed the city following the Canucks' Game 7 loss to the Boston Bruins.

When all was said and done, 15 cars had been torched, nearly 100 people had been arrested, scores of people had been sent to hospital, dozens of storefronts had been smashed and looted and firefighters had responded to 387 incidents throughout the city.

One man wearing a Boston Bruins jersey was seriously injured after falling off an overpass.

**"I was out in '94 and I've seen more damage ... than in '94."**

MURRAY WIGHTMAN, CITY  
OPERATIONS MANAGER

Vancouver police chief Jim Chu said there were about three times as many rioters wreaking havoc downtown than in 1994.

"I was out in '94 and I've seen more damage ... than in '94," said Murray Wightman, the manager of city operations, Thursday morning in the aftermath of the riot.

Investigators are re-viewing video and photographic evidence from the public to identify suspects.



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► Riot police walk by as a couple kisses Wednesday night in Vancouver.

## Volunteers take time to clean city, reputation

Embarrassment and anger over the Stanley Cup riot brought volunteers to Vancouver's downtown Thursday in a massive effort to clean the city's streets and its soiled reputation.

"I'm clearing up other peoples' mess," said volunteer Annabel Heath. "I'm from the U.K., and this is my safe place. It shouldn't be ruined by

other people being stupid."

Tim McMillan with the department of sanitation provided volunteers with equipment.

"It sounds like close to 1,000 people showed up, and the city is as clean as I've ever seen it," he said. "I think this really shows what the city's made of and what kind of character it has."



► Plywood covering the destroyed windows of The Bay in Vancouver became an impromptu shrine on Thursday.

Nearby, plywood sheets covering the destroyed windows of The Bay became an impromptu shrine to the city's regret and outrage.

"I just wrote that today is the real Vancouver," said Claudia McNeilly. "Everyone who is really from Vancouver is getting together and trying to rebuild what a few people ruined." ● DAVID PROCTOR

### Helping out

► **Homeless.** With many homeless visitors expressing outrage over the Wednesday-night riot, the First United Church organized a group of homeless cleaning volunteers the following day.

## Elements were ripe for a riot, psychologist says

An emotional game combined with booze and troublemakers resulted in a perfect storm Wednesday night and culminated in Vancouver's second Stanley Cup riot.

Toni Schmadar, professor of psychology at the

University of B.C., blamed the riot on the convergence of three elements — emotions, booze and some thugs — along with crowd behaviour that strips a person's individuality.

"We feel like part of this massive something and

that makes us feel unaccountable for our actions," Schmadar explained. "People are much more likely to follow along with what others are doing in a crowd."

He added the fuel for the riot was the heavy

emotional investment that people make in their sports teams. For a Canadian city, the seventh game of the Stanley Cup final is about as big as it gets. The 100,000 plus crowd was charged up and ready for action.

**"People get really caught up in the moment, caught up in what seems like a party."**

TONI SCHMADAR, PSYCHOLOGY  
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The addition of booze to that fuel resulted in something called alcohol myopia, changing the way people process information and pushing the long-term consequences from the minds of many.

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# Senator fraudster found guilty

Former senator Raymond Lavigne rose from humble beginnings as a deliveryman's son to one of the loftiest jobs in the country.

But once entrusted with helping make Canada's laws, the disgraced former Liberal is now facing jail time for breaking them.

Lavigne was sentenced Thursday to six months in jail and six months of house arrest for fraud and

breach of trust.

He arrived in court in a dark suit, telling the audience and the judge before his punishment was handed down: "I am not guilty.... The process wasn't fair or just."

But 45 minutes later he was trading his suit for a simple T-shirt, muttering again under his breath that justice had not been done. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



► Ex-senator Raymond Lavigne, left, walks with his wife Carmen Robichaud as he arrives at the Ottawa courthouse.

# Tories want to tweak medical-pot system

► Emergency responders can't tell difference between legal, illegal grow-ops

The federal government is poised to tighten the rules on medical marijuana so that only licensed private operators are allowed to grow it, The Canadian Press has learned.

Sources say Health Minister Leona Aglukkaq wants to take individuals and Health Canada out of the business of growing pot.

Instead, she wants to tender licences to the private sector to produce marijuana in a way that is similar to how conventional drugs are produced — by companies, under tightly regulated conditions.

The move is a response to complaints from mayors, police and firefighters — mainly in British Columbia — who say sanctioned growers are abusing their permits and often growing far more than they need.

**THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## Background

- About 10,000 people have prescriptions for medical marijuana in Canada.
- And about 3,400 licences have been issued to grow the plants — two-thirds of them in Ontario and British Columbia.
- B.C. mayors have been asking Health Canada to change the medical-marijuana rules to require municipal permits.
- Mayors say licences to cultivate medical marijuana have been given out without informing local authorities or requiring proper building permits.
- The mayors took their campaign to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities earlier this month.



► Minister of Health Leona Aglukkaq responds during Question Period in the House of Commons on Parliament Hill in Ottawa Monday June 8, 2009.

# Air Canada creates nut-free zones

Air Canada passengers with severe nut allergies may want to bring their own food on board to avoid all risk of cross-contamination in food provided by the airline's suppliers, says the Canadian Transportation Agency.

Air Canada agreed to create a buffer zone when

it has been given at least 48 hours advance notice about a passenger's peanut or nut allergies.

The country's largest airline won't provide on-board snacks or meals containing nuts or peanuts to any passengers within that zone.

**THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## News in brief

### Support for bill May yet come

Green party Leader Elizabeth May is trying to play ball with the rest of Parliament to allow speedy adoption of a new megatrials bill.

The Conservatives, Liberals and NDP all agreed to the unanimous con-

sent needed to fast-track the bill into law before the House of Commons adjourns next week for its summer recess.

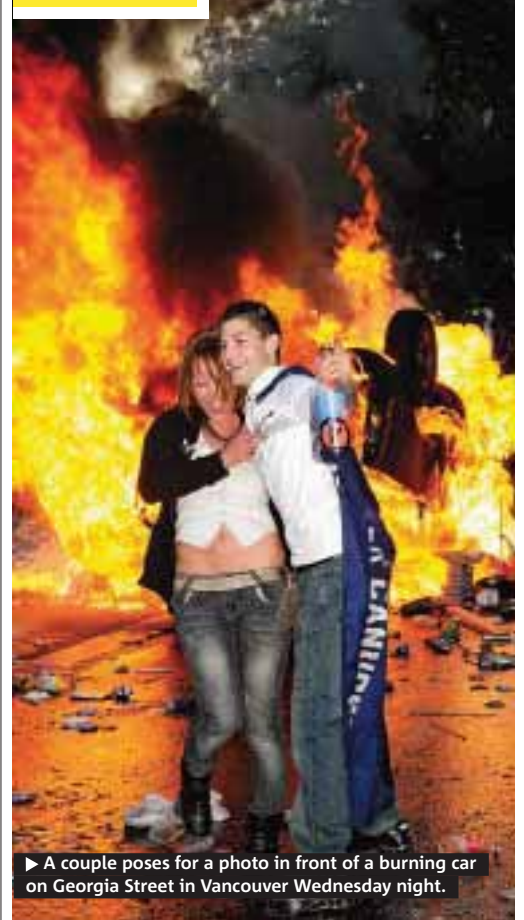
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### Smuggling bill

The Conservative government has reintroduced a bill aimed at deterring human smugglers.

It would make prosecuting smugglers easier, with mandatory prison sentences. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## Fans. Riot



► A couple poses for a photo in front of a burning car on Georgia Street in Vancouver Wednesday night.

JENNIFER GAUTHIER/FOR METRO

## We didn't start the fire

The chaos that swept downtown Vancouver after the Canucks' Stanley Cup loss was the work of "criminals and anarchists" who came prepared for trouble, the city's police chief said Thursday, as he faced questions about why the post-game riot spiralled out of control so quickly and lasted for so long.

## Reader tweets



Vancouver is slowly recovering from last night's riot. People comment on the cleanup effort, the Canucks' loss and the resulting mayhem

- @gusgreepier Broke down don't care there are grown men down here in tears. #vancouverclean
- @BeaverWax Great job with the clean up citizens of Vancouver! See, only a few bad people and justice will be served. #thisismy-vancouver
- @kelvin\_hoyle TRUE #canucks fans are downtown right now helping clean the mess from last night. Way to go!!! #vancouverclean
- @ok\_marks Pretty sure I saw people cheering a glass truck heading into downtown #Vancouverclean
- @gowerk After night of shame, I am pretty proud of #Vancouver today. Many volunteers clean up after hooligans trash our city.
- @Personaa Back at work downtown Vancouver, city is somewhat shell shocked after last night. In clean up mode, broken glass everywhere.

# Congressman resigns over lewd Twitter pictures

► Anthony Weiner, 46, took a leave of absence, retreating to a treatment facility after scandal broke last week  
► Party pressured him to step down

U.S. congressman Anthony Weiner announced his resignation Thursday, done in by lewd photos he took of himself, sent to women online and then lied about after being caught.

Party leaders have been pressing him to resign so that Democrats could resume positioning themselves for the 2012 election campaign without constant criticism from Republicans on moral grounds.

"I make this apology to my neighbours and my constituents, but I make it particularly to my wife," he said, reading from a brief statement in New York City's Brooklyn borough.



► U.S. Rep. Anthony Weiner announces his resignation from Congress in Brooklyn, N.Y., on Thursday.

Weiner's wife was absent as he announced his decision, as she was 10 days ago when he admitted having sent inappropriate messages and photos to several women online.

The crowd on Thursday included hecklers and radio shock jocks, vying for attention at what became a New York media event.

Weiner said he had hoped to remain in Con-

**"I'm here today to again apologize for the personal mistakes I have made and the embarrassment I have caused."**

ANTHONY WEINER

gress but conceded his predicament had made that impossible. Instead, he said he would resign "so my colleagues can get back to work, my neighbours can choose a new representative and ... that my wife and I can continue to heal from the damage I have caused."

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## LAST ASSETS

**Nortel's patent auction bumped**

Nortel Networks Corp. has delayed the auction for its patents until June 27 due to a "significant level of interest" from potential bidders.

The auction, a packaged deal that includes Nortel's prized wireless

patents, is expected to generate a flurry of interest from international technology companies.

Google Inc. has already offered \$900 million US, while it is anticipated that others, such as Apple Inc., Intel and Research In Motion, may bid.

Nortel's remaining patents include advanced wireless network technology for Long-Term Evolution networks. They are able to handle lots of data for TV watching, music listening and video streaming.

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**Dollar down amid Greek debt**

The Canadian dollar fell closer to parity with the U.S. dollar for a second day on Thursday as traders sought safe haven with the greenback amid fears that Greece could default on its massive debt.

The loonie was down 0.5 of a cent at 101.65 cents US at midday, after going as low as 101.03 cents US earlier Thursday.

Investors are deeply worried that a default in Greece could hurt banks elsewhere and set off a catastrophic financial chain reaction.

The dollar has also suffered from sub-par economic data indicating the U.S. economy is slowing down faster than once thought.

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**Chrysler steers recall**

Chrysler Group LLC is recalling 11,351 cars, minivans and other models because a manufacturing problem can cause the steering to fail. Chrysler said it is not aware of any injuries caused. The recall affects 11 out of 20 models this year. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Whyte to run Rogers' magazines**

Ken Whyte, the publisher and editor-in-chief of Maclean's magazine, has been named president of Rogers' publishing division. The appointment is effective Sept. 1. THE CANADIAN PRESS

**Assistance cheques delivered in lockout**

► Regular mail delivery could resume next week with back-to-work legislation ► Union accuses Canada Post of inciting government action

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Some two million Canadians will find social assistance cheques in their mailboxes on Monday despite the ongoing dispute between Canada Post and its locked-out employees that has left regular mail delivery in limbo.

The Crown corporation said Thursday — a day after it locked out workers and suspended urban mail delivery across the country — that the cheques will be delivered as scheduled June 20 under an agreement with the postal workers' union.

"Delivering during a work disruption is a huge challenge, but Canada Post is committed to delivering these important cheques to the Canadians who count on receiving them," it said.

Included are CPP, Old Age Security, Veterans' Affairs and Canada Tax Benefit cheques. Quebec's Child



► Striking post office workers in Halifax on Thursday.

Assistance, Pension and Income Security cheques as well as Alberta Pension cheques will also be delivered that day.

The cheques will be delivered the same day the federal government plans

to table legislation to force postal employees back on the job.

Labour Minister Lisa Raitt said she was going ahead with plans to pass a back-to-work law for the 48,000 members of the

Canadian Union of Postal Workers, most of whom have been locked out after initiating rotating strikes on June 3. The bill is expected to be tabled Monday and debated the next day. THE CANADIAN PRESS

**Bombardier plant loses second contract**

Bombardier's rail facility in Derby was dealt a heavy blow Thursday after the British government selected German rival Siemens for a London rail contract.

It is the second con-

tract loss for the manufacturing plant in more than two years.

"We are disappointed not to have been selected as the preferred bidder, but it's not over yet," says Marc Laforge, a Bom-

bardier spokesman.

The consortium led by Bombardier remains the reserve bidder to step in if the contract with Siemens can't be finalized by year's end.

The Derby plant, which

employs 3,000 people, is currently producing subway cars for London's Underground system, trains for National Express East Anglia and turbostars for Chiltern and London Midland. THE CANADIAN PRESS



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# Two sides reach deal in airline strike



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► Airports from Vancouver to Halifax (above) saw no major disruptions in service after Air Canada front-line staff walked off the job on Tuesday. Strikers are set to go back to work.

► Workers set to return on Friday ► Labour minister credits government intervention for quick end to strike

A tentative collective agreement ending a strike by Air Canada staff contains pay increases, but it will be up to an arbitrator to settle a dispute over pension plans for new hires.

Ken Lewenza, president of the Canadian Auto Workers, said the deal includes higher wages and addresses quality of life and other issues raised by members.

But he said it does not settle the issue of defined-benefit pensions.

**3,800**  
Some 3,800 Air Canada customer-service and other staff walked off the job Tuesday.

Lewenza said the union agreed to send the pension issue to an arbitrator in order to minimize the strain on the striking workers.

"For us to prolong the strike as a result of future (hires) would absolutely make no sense at this time,

but it will give us an opportunity in future years to bargain on behalf of those new hires," Lewenza said.

He said there would be "very slight modifications" to the current pension plan, which would become effective in 2013. Details will not be released until after a ratification vote.

The tentative four-year settlement came less than an hour after Ottawa tabled legislation that would have forced the workers back on the job.

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## Market moment

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## Hydro-Quebec rolls out EV stations

Hydro-Quebec is teaming with several well-known companies to offer Canada's first charging stations for electric vehicles.

Home renovations company Rona Inc., Rotisseries St-Hubert chicken restaurant, grocer Metro and Montreal's suburban transit agency AMT will offer 100 EV stations in Montreal and Quebec City in early 2012.

Each will provide 240 volts of electricity, allowing motorists to travel 25 kilometres after one hour of charging.

The public utility

**\$2** Motorists will be charged \$2 for each single use of the EV stations and access to a prime parking spot.

expects to add quick-charging stations of at least 400 volts that give an EV enough power to travel 50 kilometres in just 10 minutes, or 80 per cent of the battery's capacity in 30 minutes.

The companies assured on Thursday that the charge stations won't be restricted to use only by their customers. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# High-flying loonie could see auto profits plummet

The strong loonie is driving up the cost of Canadian employees, which could put pressure on auto-parts and vehicle makers to send more jobs to the U.S. and Mexico where labour costs are lower, an independent think-tank says.

The Conference Board of Canada predicts a continued recovery in the auto industry on the back of soaring demand for vehicles in the U.S., providing substantial opportunity for the Canadian sector. But that growth potential will

not necessarily benefit Canadian workers in the auto-parts and vehicle-assembly sectors, the board warns.

A high loonie adds to labour costs in Canada relative to developing countries and makes Canadian exports less cost-competitive, which is prompting auto companies to look south when they make decisions about where to set up new plants, the board said.

"Furthermore, wages of Canadian auto workers are at risk of moving out of



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► The Chrysler plant in Brampton, Ont., is one of four in North America that was shuttered for several weeks in 2009 because of the economic downturn.

line with those of their American counterparts," the board said.

The auto industry and its offshoots, key components of Canada's economy, have enjoyed a swift turnaround since last year after struggling to maintain profits during the economic downturn of 2008-09.

But the board says auto-parts makers Magna International, Martinrea and Linamar could be forced to lower prices to compete with foreign manufacturers. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Riding high

- Canada's auto-parts industry had a \$255-million profit in 2010, the first since 2007.
- Revenues are expected to grow at an annual average pace of 10.5 per cent through 2013 to 2015.
- The Canadian auto-assembly industry is forecast to post profits of nearly \$1 billion this year, up \$114 million from last year.

# DIFFERENT TYPE OF VIRAL KISS

## THE METRO LIST

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**1** The iconic image: Couple kissing during riots. It was an absolutely horrible Wednesday night in Vancouver. The Canucks lost Game 7 to

Boston and then the riots broke out downtown. But the ray of sunshine was an image snapped by a photographer of a couple lying on a tear gas-filled street making out, with riot police in the foreground and background. It's gone viral, and now the whole world is wondering who this mystery couple is.

**2** Dirk. The lone superstar of the Dallas Mavericks, Dirk Nowitzki, outplays the superstar trio of LeBron James/Dwyane Wade/Chris Bosh to lead the Mavs to their first NBA title. A dynasty does not begin in Miami. Dirk, meanwhile ... well, he is now recognizable by one name (take that LeBron), and will go down as one of the Top 20 players of all time. (Oh, and there was no rioting in Miami.)

**3** Can I be your friend? A man decides to test the etiquette of Twitter and Facebook in the real world by approaching strangers with lines like, "Can I be your friend?" and "Can I write on your wall?" and "Could I poke you?" and "I'm going to follow you." The video he makes is hilarious and has more than 700,000 views on YouTube.

**4** Alice's Bucket List. A 15-year-old girl with terminal cancer has become an inspiration to the whole world. She has started a blog, Alice's Bucket List, which lists the many things she still wants to do with her time on Earth. Some tangible, some a dream. Such as: "To make everyone sign up to be a bone marrow donor, to swim with sharks, to go to Kenya (I can't travel there now but I wanted to)." As she says on her blog, "You only have one life ... live it!" So true.

**5** A book on Charlie Sheen? Denise Richards is writing a tell-all memoir about her marriage — and nasty divorce — to Charlie Sheen to be released late July. And then she will likely go on a tour. But here's hoping it's nothing like her ex's Violent Torpedo of Truth tour disaster.

**6** Air Canada strike over! The feds announced back-to-work legislation, and soon after Air Canada and the Canadian Auto Workers union reached a tentative deal. And across Canada, striking customer-service agents at airports were screaming with delight. The flying public is about to get its best customer service ever with the good mood these agents are in.

**7** Reality TV gets real. Many thought Gene Simmons and longtime girlfriend Shannon Tweed were just putting us on when they went on the Today Show Monday and talked about the disintegration of their relationship. But it wasn't just a ratings ploy to get us to watch the season premiere of Gene Simmons Family Jewels. Their relationship is, in fact, coming apart due to his philandering, and watching that episode was one of the more painful, awkward episodes of reality TV ever. Period.

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### Worth mentioning

#### LOS ANGELES.

Astronomers think they have solved the mystery of an extraordinary flash spied in a faraway galaxy, saying it came from a massive black hole that devoured a star after it wandered too close.

Some scientists initially thought the bright flash was a gamma-ray burst from a star collapsing, but flaring from such an event typically lasts only a few hours.

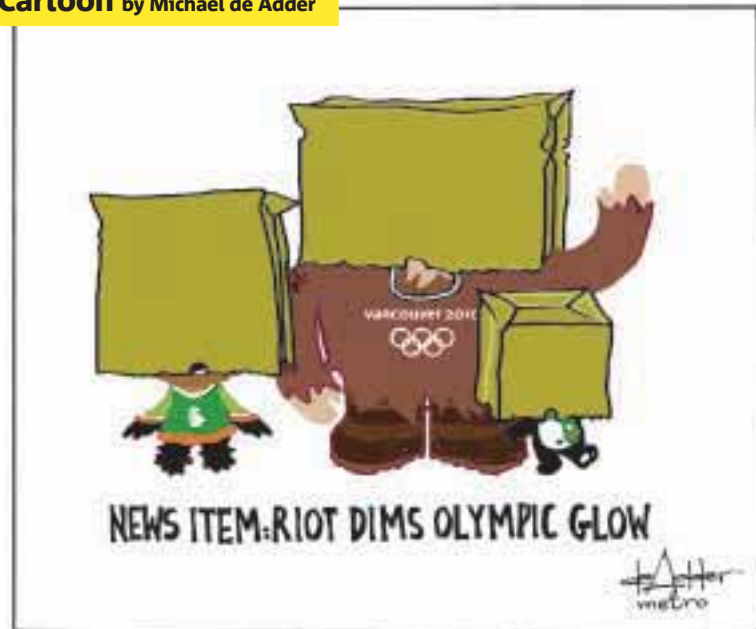
Instead of fading, the cosmic outburst continued to burn bright and emit high-energy radiation months later.

Two separate teams pored through data and concluded that an unsuspecting star the size of our sun likely got sucked in by the powerful tug of a giant black hole much like a fly that can't escape a frog resting on a lily pad.

As the black hole gobbled up the star, it streamed a beam of energy straight at Earth that was recorded by telescopes. The stellar feast occurred in the heart of a galaxy 3.8 billion light years from Earth. A light year is about 9.66 trillion kilometres.

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### Cartoon by Michael de Adder



#### WEIRD NEWS

### Fashion you can sink your teeth into

Lady Gaga made history at last year's MTV Video Music Awards when she turned butcher's cuts into high fashion.

On Thursday, the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame was prepared to unveil the singer's infamous raw-meat dress to the public. The dress — made of layers of Argentinian beef — was kept in a meat locker, placed in a vat of chemi-

cals and then dried out by taxidermists in California before being transported to the museum.

Hall of Fame spokeswoman Margaret Thresher said the dress took on a "dark, beef-jerky" look while dehydrating, so it was painted to look "fresh" afterwards. The entire process took several months to complete.

The dress is being displayed as part of the Women Who Rock: Vision, Passion, Power exhibit, which runs until February 2012.

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**Plot synopsis**

Loosely based on the classic 1938 children's book, the movie sees Jim Carrey playing the title character, a ruthless NYC real estate agent who becomes closer to his estranged family when he inherits a penguin from his late father. Through a series of misunderstandings one penguin becomes six. As the penguins take over his life, Popper's formerly flightless personal life starts to soar.

**Ratings:**

Richard: ●●●●  
Mark: ●●●½

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▶ Jim Carrey in Mr. Popper's Penguins.

# Lots to like in Penguins

► Richard Crouse and Mark Breslin agree Mr. Popper's Penguins is a surprise hit ► Will appeal to the kids, with enough story to keep adults interested

**Richard Crouse:** Mark, Jim Carrey is back acting opposite wildlife, but unlike the Ace Ventura movies, this time he's not talking out of his bum, or doing anything that parents may take issue with. Mr. Popper's Penguins is total family entertainment, paced for young ones but with enough story to keep older kids and parents interested. I dreaded this one but actually ended up enjoying it.

**Mark Breslin:** Me too, Richard. I'm not a big fan of Jim Carrey movies, but this time the comedian keeps his cartoony instincts in check and brings an easy naturalness to the

role. The penguins make great foils for Carrey as they are the comedians of the animal world. With their tuxedo pelts, paunches and big noses they look like standup comics from the '50s.

**RC:** Ha! They do provide most of the laughs in the film, but I'm not sure I would classify this as a comedy. Carrey has a few funny moments, the penguins — who could be more rightly called Mr. Popper's Pooping Penguins — engage in some animal antics, and Popper's "p" popping personal assistant takes alliteration to new heights, but the movie is more about heart than humour.

**MB:** Maybe that's why I liked it so much: Carrey wasn't working so hard to be "on" all the time. I also appreciated the New York setting, though I found it bizarre that Popper was trying to raze, then save Tavern On The Green when it was just closed and slated for demolition last year. I guess the penguins aren't the only fantasy elements in the film!

**RC:** It is a fantasy film with a nice even tone for families, but I'm curious what sort of movie it might have been if the original director Noah Baumbach had been behind the camera. He's best known for making edgy family dramas

like Squid and the Whale. Mr. Popper's Penguins might have been more interesting to mom and dad if he had directed, but as it is it will appeal to kids, particularly if they've read the book.

**MB:** I love Baumbach, but I can only imagine his direction would have led to The Squid, the Whale and the Penguins, about a dysfunctional family with lots of flipper wringing. No, the movie ain't broke, so let's not fix it. You're right, it's a great family picture, but also — dare I say this — a good date movie. I may not know much about life, Richard, but I do know this: chicks dig penguins!

# 2 scene

**Scene in brief**

The X-Men, soon to end in just a few more issues, won't be gone for long. Two new titles will replace Marvel Comics' longest-running current series in November as it draws a 48-year run to a close with issue No. 544. Two separate teams calling themselves X-Men will take root this fall.

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Retoiled and reviewed — What might be next for the Spider-Man musical on Broadway? Scan code for story.

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**The Green Lantern****Genre:** Action**Director:** Martin Campbell**Stars:** Ryan Reynolds, Peter Sarsgaard, Blake Lively

Seven decades after debuting as a DC comic book, The Green Lantern comes to the big screen with Ryan Reynolds as Hal Jor-

dan, a daredevil test pilot who reluctantly becomes an intergalactic guardian as part of the Green Lantern Corp. Equipped with a magic ring and a snappy green Lone Ranger mask he protects Earth from the evil Parallax.

First the good stuff. The idea that the Parallax

feeds off people's fear is a terrifying premise and Peter Sarsgaard's transformation from nerdy Hector to nerdy Hector-with-a-huge-head provides some fun Jekyll and Hyde moments, but the film is bogged down by an overreliance on CGI.

Because everyone knows anything is possible when you bang together the right bits of binary code, computer-generated action no longer "wows" audiences. So why does director Martin Campbell paint every frame with computer images? Even Jordan's silly little green mask is computer-generated. Was the costumer off the day he needed to don the disguise?

The Green Lantern isn't a bad superhero movie, but it doesn't hold a lantern to some of the seriously good ones we've seen lately like The Dark Knight or Iron Man.

● RICHARD CROUSE



► Cameron Diaz in Bad Teacher.

## Bad Teacher is 'genius,' says Diaz

► Movie makes no apologies for bad behaviour ► Diaz doesn't hold back in her latest role, and it pays off ► But the film's drug use, foul language and sexual content earn it an R-rating



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Considering how Cameron Diaz's character behaves in *Bad Teacher*, the title is something of an understatement.

She smokes pot in the school parking lot. She assaults students for getting questions wrong. She accepts "tutoring money" from parents in exchange for A's for their children.

Her sole motivation is earning enough money for a boob job so she can snag a rich husband. The character is crass, deceitful and usually hungover — in other words, far from glamorous or sympathetic.

But that's exactly what Diaz liked about her.

"There was absolutely not one ounce of energy spent trying to make anything about this character likeable. It was genius," says Diaz. "Usually, you spend the last 20 minutes of the movie trying to apologize for the first hour and a half of it because people are afraid of just owning what it is."

Diaz, who has done arguably her best work in comedies with some bite to them, doesn't hold back in her latest role, and it pays off. But given the material, she couldn't really pull any punches.

"Thirty pages into the

script, I was like, 'There's no way I'm playing this character. How could I ever redeem her? There's no redemption for her, this is a horrible person,'" she remembers. "Then 10 pages later I was like, 'I think I like her.' And by the end I was like, 'This is amazing because I don't have to apologize.'"

Even in a cavalcade of bad behaviour like *Bad Teacher*, there are some situations Diaz and director Jake Kasdan thought would be going too far, like featuring a teacher-student romance. "The one thing that Elizabeth doesn't do — one line she doesn't cross," Diaz says.

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► J.J. Abrams' newest film Super 8, which was co-produced by Steven Spielberg, centres around a mysterious train crash in a small town.

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# Selena Gomez co-hosts MMVAs

- Her boyfriend (a.k.a. Justin Bieber) he might swing by for the party
- Performances by Lady Gaga, Avril Lavigne, Bruno Mars and more



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Since its inception, the MuchMusic Video Awards have always had the feel of a star-studded street party. Behind the scenes though, a lot of planning goes into choreographing the chaos on Queen Street.

"It's one of those shows where anything could happen," says Neil Staite, MuchMusic's director of operations.

"You're not only building for what you want the show to be, but what could happen. And sometimes

**"We always try to make sure we can deliver the ultimate fan access. They're an integral part of the show."**

NEIL STAITE, MUCHMUSIC'S  
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

those are two very different things."

Key to the spontaneous appeal of the MMVAs every year are the fans who flock to the corner of Queen and John to catch a glimpse of their favourite artists. The energy they generate rubs off on the performers and presenters, says Staite.

Of course the massive crowds can make getting the presenters to their mark on time a problem. Besides the party on

Queen Street, Much also holds a reception inside the building.

Every person appearing on the program gets a wrangler who rehearses from Friday on every possible route and detour to get that artist where they need to be on time.

The show's writers also have a hand in corralling the chaos. They research each presenter before writing a word, says Jason Ford, the supervising producer.

They'll then consult with each artist, sending drafts back and forth in an effort to capture the artist's true voices.

Still, they leave plenty of room for off-the-cuff moments. In 2002 Pamela Anderson brought out then partner Kid Rock. This year Justin Bieber's girlfriend, Selena Gomez, is co-hosting the show and the Biebs has been hinting over Twitter that he might make an appearance.

"That's the kind of thing we'd be prepared for," says Staite.

## Back in the day

The genesis for what would become the MuchMusic Video Awards dates back to 1990 and what were then called the Canadian Music Video Awards.

► A far cry from the Queen and John street party we know today, the awards were held on a train, which ran from Vancouver all the way to the East Coast, making whistle stops along the way.



Ian Gormely will be tweeting live from the Much Music Video Awards this Sunday starting with the red carpet at 6:30 p.m. ET. Follow him @iangormely

## TV picks

### Finding Sarah kicks off



► Sarah Ferguson

**MOST WERE HOPING SHE'D STAY LOST.** Still reeling from a humiliating scandal, Sarah Ferguson, the Duchess of York, attempts to rebuild her life and career with the help of Oprah Winfrey experts Dr. Phil and Suze Orman in Finding Sarah.

The six-episode series kicks off Friday with Dr. Phil delving into Ferguson's past and showing her how childhood traumas continue to affect her. (OWN)

### Outcasts land in Canada

**ILLEGAL ALIENS?** The British sci-fi series Outcasts arrives on this side of the pond on Saturday with an ambitious premise — 10 years after

Earth colonists arrive on Carpathia, they anxiously await the arrival of the last

known transporter from their doomed home planet. The series stars Eric Mabius, best known for playing magazine publisher Daniel Meade on Ugly Betty. (Space)

### Water doc thirst quenching

**INSPIRATIONAL.** Deepa Mehta's Oscar-nominated film Water, airing Saturday, is an ode to female resilience as it

follows three women forced to live in an ashram, or widow colony, in 1938 India.

They include the eight-year-old Chuyia, who questions not only her own confinement but the logic of sequestering widows. (A Channel)

### The proof is in the pudding

**COMEBACK.** Those who missed the pilot episode of Dana Delany's comeback Body of Proof get a second chance Sunday with this introduction to the medical crime series.

Here, Delany plays former neurosurgeon Megan Hunt, who is forced to give up her high-flying career after a car accident leaves her unable to return to the operating room.

Now a medical examiner, Hunt struggles to find a new balance between work and family life. (ABC)

### Chef has a cry

**JAMIE OLIVER** Actress Jamie Lee Curtis presents a public health award to Jamie Oliver Friday on Jamie Oliver's Food Revolution, and the celebrity chef gets emotional.

Los Angeles has proven to be a challenging city for Oliver and after being ordered to stop filming in the Los Angeles Unified School District, he manages to get work in another district.

But when he arrives, he finds yet another obstacle. A return visit to the Barrett family lifts Oliver's spirits. (A Channel, ABC)

### Awards galore

**BRING ON THE RED CARPET OUTFITS** Award show fans have their choice of The 38th Annual Daytime Emmy Awards and the MuchMusic Video Awards on Sunday. The Emmys are set at the Las Vegas Hilton, where Oprah Winfrey is set to receive the Crystal Pillar Award and Pat Sajak and Alex Trebek receive the Lifetime Achievement Award.

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# Foster the People foster an audience

## ► Metro got the chance to chat with singer Mark Foster about the band



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### Do you like playing festivals as much as doing headlining shows?

I don't know if I like one more than another. I think it's cool at festivals because you tend to play in front of more people than we do at our club shows.

So I think it's a good opportunity for people that might go, you know, they might be going there to

check out other artists or be curious about us, and kind of stumble into the show and become a fan. And it's also really cool to be able to see other bands that haven't been seen before as well.

### Has anyone that you've seen recently blown you away?

I just saw Cage the Elephant for the first time and that was really fun. I really enjoyed them. And Snoop played at BFD (in

Calif.) and that blew my mind. ... I've been to quite a few hip-hop shows, but he's just got it down.

### Tell me about your connection with Dr. Dre.

They brought me in originally to work on (Dr. Dre's upcoming album) *Detox*, but then basically switched gears and said that they wanted to get behind me as a recording artist. But they wanted to make a soul record with Raphael Saadiq, and I was

making electronic kind of glitched-out music and that was the type of record I wanted to make, so we just didn't really see eye to eye.

It would've been a dream to work with Dre but I didn't want to be the next Billy Joel or anything. I wanted to make the kind of music I was making.

And I had a few songs like that. You know, I have some songs that are more classic songwriting, and that's what they were grav-

itating towards, but my heart was always in the type of music that we're making now with Foster the People.

**What I got from listening to the album, and I might be way off base, but there's a definite '80s sensibility going on, but it feels more like '80s pop than the more new wave '80s that a lot of other indie bands are embracing.**

I don't really know where stuff comes from. I grew up listening to all sorts of

## Debut

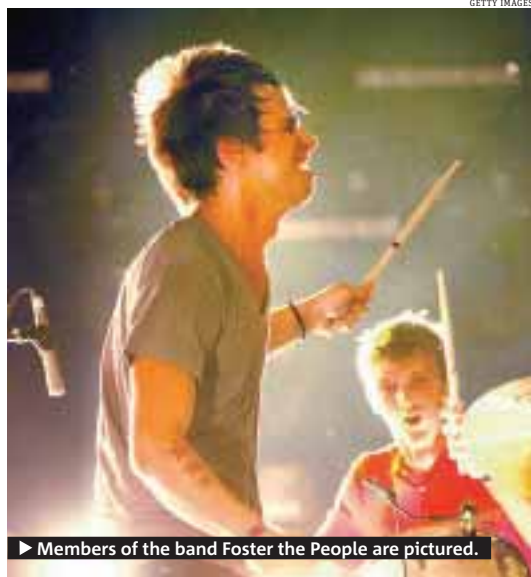
► Foster the People's debut album, *Torches*, was released at the end of May.

music, and the sound I've been working on for Foster the People is something I've been working on for years. When I first started tapping into it, I'd write something like a heavily electronic song, then I'd write a rock song, then I'd write a Motown song, then I'd write a spiritual song. And I was always trying to figure out how to put them into one thing. And it took a long time.

I've been working on this sound for the last seven years. And really in the last year-and-a-half to two years, is when it started to click, so I don't really know where it came from.

I'd say still (our debut album is) a versatile record. It has a lot of flavours. I never really went out specifically to try to capture one particular moment in history musically or anything. It's kind of everything all at once.

**"One of my concerns for this record was that it wasn't going to be cohesive, so that was something that I really worked towards, tying everything together."** MARK FOSTER



► Members of the band Foster the People are pictured.



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# HISTORY OF MUSIC: THE FORMAT WARS (PART 2)

## SOUND CHECK



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Last week, I went through some love-hate battles that have occurred between music and technology over the decades. Here are a few more.

### Tapes vs. Tapes

For years, the only source for music in the car was

the AM radio. That changed starting with some 1965 Ford models, as the 8-track player was introduced as a factory option. It ruled until the mid-1970s when it was eclipsed by the cassette, which, unlike the 8-track, had a rewind function. In 1982, the last pre-recorded 8-tracks disappeared from stores, although it lived on in the realm of record clubs. Legend has it that the last 8-track ever issued was Fleetwood Mac's *Greatest Hits* in November 1988. (Good trivia question, that!)

### Tapes vs. Vinyl

There was a period in the 1980s when sales of pre-recorded cassettes were



► Remember these? For the youngsters out there, they're called cassettes.

greater than those of LPs. Everyone had a Walkman and rather than transferring LPs to blank cassettes, millions just went for the pre-recorded version. Record stores bulged with LPs, 45s, 12-inch singles, cassettes and, for a while, 8-tracks.

### Tapes and Vinyl vs. CDs

Before cassettes and vinyl could finish their death match, along came the compact disc. Introduced in late 1982, the record industry was initially dead against them. The last thing they wanted during a brutal recession was an-

other new format with its requisite manufacturing, transportation and warehousing costs, not to mention the investments record stores would have to make on new shelving. Then someone realized that the CD was a way to get music fans to buy their entire music collections all over again.

### CDs vs. MP3s

And lo, the times were good as fat margins on CDs and ever-increasing annual album sales made the recording industry a very, very happy place. Things were so good that when, in 1993, a Warner executive discovered leaked versions of a Depeche Mode album

trading in chat rooms on the Prodigy network (anyone remember that?) using some weird new technology called the MP3, he brushed it off as inconsequential. Oops.

### MP3s vs. Streaming

But MP3s (and similar music files) may not be the endgame. Subscription services like Spotify and Pandora may make possessing MP3s irrelevant. There's no need to own an MP3 if you can get the music from somewhere whenever you want it.

Then again, Apple's iCloud is a shot against streaming, isn't it?

The format wars are far from over.

# Aguilera sharing the blame for her divorce

► Says that her, Jordan Bratman weren't angels ► Split up for their child

Christina Aguilera is opening up about her recent divorce, telling W Magazine that she and ex-husband Jordan Bratman share the blame for it ending.

"At one time or another we were both not angels," Aguilera says.

"It got to a point where our life at home was reminding me of my own childhood. I will not have my son grow up in a tension-filled home."

And the singer, who's no stranger to life in the public eye, knew it wouldn't be an easy process because of the assumptions people would make.

"I knew there would be a negative reaction in the

**"At one time or another we were both not angels. It got to a point where our life at home was reminding me of my own childhood. I will not have my son grow up in a tension-filled home."**

CHRISTINA AGUILERA

press to my divorce, but I am not going to live my life because of something someone might say."

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## Talking points

### Why Crystal left Hefner at the alter

**NOT A FIGHT** Crystal Harris says leaving Hugh Hefner less than a week before their wedding was "the right thing to do," she reveals in an interview with Ryan Seacrest.

"He was just doing this wedding for me. He thought that's what I wanted. We're both relieved."

She also insists rumors of a blowout between the two are untrue. "It was mutual between Hef and I," Harris says. "There was no fight. We sat down and we talked about it."

She claims they are still together and everything is fine otherwise.

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## Celebrity tweets



"my life was once whiskey, tears, and cigarettes... now it's snot, tears, and the color of poop."

@Pink



@rustyrocks

"Thank you all for nominating me as sexiest vegetarian. I am going to celebrate by being sexy with a parsnip."

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"Women are treated so terribly in Arab nations, you'd think they were gays in THIS nation."



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## Sharing a brew with dad



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If it's liquid, I love it. So, I'm sure my father doesn't mind this Father's Day that while I inherited his appreciation for a fine pint of beer, I also spread my love around the wine and spirit world, too.

That said, beer does hold a special place in my heart.

After all, it was the first taste of booze I ever had thanks to my grandfather. (No emails folks. I spit it out much to the enjoyment of dear old Da).

Times have changed in the beer business. Small North American cottage breweries have become red hot by reinventing old school British ales and light beer is on every guy's radar because almost everyone of us has an interest in watching calories.

Though the flavour profile of lighter beers varies dramatically, the addition of a citrus element really levels the drinking field.

Molson Canadian 67 Sublime (12 x 341 ml, \$18.12 - \$22.99) has a surprisingly robust lemon/lime appeal that adds volumes to what is arguably a pretty subtle beer.

Meanwhile, the 100 calorie Miller Chill Lemon (12 x 355 ml, \$21.50 - \$23.99) plays down the citrus as it pumps up the volume of refreshing malt.

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# Hit a Father's Day home run in the kitchen

► Make dad something he'll really enjoy: His favourite baseball player's favourite meal ► Diamond Dishes by Julie Loria takes you inside the kitchens of some of Major League Baseball's biggest stars



► This T-Bone Steak recipe (a favourite of Alex Rodriguez) makes four servings.

## Grilled T-Bone Steaks with Balsamic Onion Confit

There aren't many dishes more satisfying than a huge sizzling steak with savory side dishes.

Alex Rodriguez likes his sides tasty and free of unnecessary fat and calories. This slow-cooked confit is the bill.

### Preparation:

**1** Melt butter in large skillet over medium heat. Add onions and salt; stir well. Add 1 cup water. Cook, stirring, until water evaporates and onions soften, about 20 mins. Stir another cup of water into onions. Cook, stirring, until water evaporates and onions are tender and begin to brown, about 20 mins.

**2** Stir in vinegar and honey. Cook, stirring often, until onions are

caramelized and liquids syrupy, about 10 mins. Remove from heat and cover skillet to keep

onions warm.

**3** Prepare fire in grill. Season steaks with salt and

pepper; let stand at room temperature while grill heats. Lightly oil grill grate. Place steaks on grill; cover. Grill, turning after 3 minutes, until tops of steaks feel firmer than raw when pressed, about 7 mins for medium-rare.

**4** Transfer each steak to dinner plate. Top with onions and serve.

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### Ingredients:

**Balsamic Onion Confit**  
• 1 tablespoon unsalted butter  
• 3 onions, peeled and

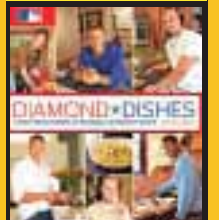
sliced about ½ inch thick  
• Pinch of salt  
• 3 tablespoons balsamic vinegar  
• 3 tablespoons honey

### Steaks

• 4 14-ounce T-bone steaks  
• ½ teaspoons salt  
• ½ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

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## MLB Cookbook



In Diamond Dishes, not only does Julie Loria share recipes based on some of the favourite foods of MLB all-stars, she also reveals their stories — memorable meals growing up, food rituals and guilty food pleasures.

Among the stars included in Diamond Dishes are: Roy Halladay of the Philadelphia Phillies, Derek Jeter of the New York Yankees, Evan Longoria of the Tampa Bay Rays, Alex Rodriguez of the New York Yankees and Albert Pujols of the St. Louis Cardinals.

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Think beyond the grill this Father's Day with beer-braised pork belly.

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**"It's been an amazing ride, an amazing journey. It's been a lot of ups and a lot of downs. This is the top of the iceberg. It feels absolutely amazing."**

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## U.S Open. Wet start



► Rory McIlroy, left, Phil Mickelson, centre, and Dustin Johnson walk a green during the first round of the 111th U.S. Open on Thursday.

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## McIlroy opens impressive lead after first round

If he keeps playing like this, Rory McIlroy's next chance to close out a major should come very soon.

McIlroy, who blew a four-shot lead in the final round of the Masters, is on top at the U.S. Open, shooting a 6-under-par 65 on Thursday to take a three-stroke lead over Y.E. Yang and the man who wound up taking the green jacket, Charl Schwartzel. This will be the third time in the last four majors McIlroy has held the first-round lead. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

# Canucks face questions

## ► Collapse against Bruins leaves team plenty to think about in the off-season

Plenty of questions swirl around the Vancouver Canucks following a season where they looked like a team with all the answers to win the Stanley Cup.

A 4-0 loss to the Boston Bruins in Game 7 Wednesday night ended the Canucks' dream of winning their first NHL championship in franchise history. A team that won the Presidents' Trophy for the best record in the league came up one victory short of being a champion.

Mike Gillis, the Canucks' general manager, now has to figure out why a club that did so much right during the regular season, and most of the playoffs, suddenly had a lot go wrong in the final.

Why did a Vancouver

### "We didn't score. That's what went wrong."

CANUCKS FORWARD RYAN KESLER

team that led the league in scoring manage just eight goals in seven games against the Bruins? And get shutout twice?

How could a club that allowed the least goals during the season give up 23 against the Bruins?

What happened to the Vancouver power play that went just two-for-33 against Boston and allowed three short-handed goals?

Where were the Sedins? Daniel Sedin, the league's leading scorer and a finalist for MVP, had one goal and three assists in seven games. Canuck captain Henrik Sedin, who led the playoffs with 19 assists, did-

n't manage one against the Bruins.

And the question that will burn up radio talk shows for the summer, what happened to Roberto Luongo?

How could a goaltender that was solid as a rock some nights shatter like glass in three games in Boston and give up at least two questionable goals on the night his team needed him most?

Coach Alain Vigneault wasn't rushing to give answers.

"I'm not going to analyze this game right now," he said after the loss.

"I think anybody in our

situation would feel real disappointed. I know we gave it our best shot."

Vancouver built a talented team that used speed and a solid defence to beat opponents. The Canucks relied on their mobile defencemen to quickly move the puck to their forwards. They used their power play like a stick to club teams that tried to slow them down by tripping or hooking.

The injury to Dan Hamhuis in Game 1 of the final sidelined Vancouver's best defenceman. The suspension to Aaron Rome for his hit on Nathan Horton in Game 3 forced Vigneault to juggle his pairings. Both Christian Ehrhoff and Alex Edler were playing with injuries.

The Canuck core will remain intact next season. Vancouver has 13 players under contract for around \$46 million US. That lives Gillis around \$13 million to spend.

Defenceman Kevin Bieksa and Ehrhoff are both unrestricted free agents. Expect Bieksa to stay. Forward Jannik Hansen is a restricted free agent and someone might tend him an offer sheet.

The Canucks have the potential to be a very good team next year. Their play-off run showed they still need some depth, a little more experience, and a few upgrades.

The question now is, will Vancouver find the right answers?

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# Bruins bring cup to Boston

The Stanley Cup glistened in the morning sun, the nearly 35-pound symbol of NHL supremacy raised high over the head of 255-pound Zdeno Chara.

Then, the captain of the champion Boston Bruins lowered it to his knees. He patiently answered reporters' questions after a night of little sleep and much joy on a flight from across North America — from the disappointed city of Vancouver to the title town of Boston.

For the six-foot-nine defenceman and his teammates the heavy lifting was over.

The celebration was on. "We are pretty OK with that weight," Chara said Thursday, the cup in his grasp as it was when he hoisted it after the Bruins' 4-0 win in Game 7 over the Canucks less than 12 hours earlier.

He walked over to some of the roughly 500 fans who had gathered outside TD Garden, where the Bruins outscored the Canucks 4-0 in the final. He let some of them touch the coveted trophy that hadn't been in Bruins hands in 39 years.

"It's unbelievable. It's very exciting for the whole city, for us, for the whole organization. It's a very special day," said Chara, who hadn't won a cup in 12 previous NHL seasons. "We're very honoured to be here. We're so happy."

They won with Brad Marchand, a rookie pest, and Patrice Bergeron, who missed most of the 2007-08 season with a concussion. Each had two goals in the clincher.

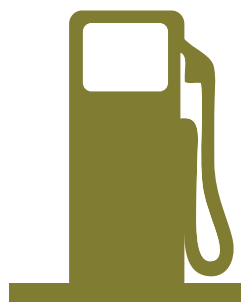
"We went out there on a mission, came back champions," Marchand said. "We proved we were the best team in the world."

There will be many more fans lining the streets at a parade scheduled for 11 a.m. on Saturday, Boston's seventh in the past decade following championship celebrations for the Patriots, Red Sox and Celtics.

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## BOSTON BRUINS

### Cup winners should be able to keep team intact

The Boston Bruins should have an easier time repeating than the last team to win the Stanley Cup.

Unlike the Chicago Blackhawks of a year ago, the Bruins are well-positioned under the salary cap to bring back virtually the same squad that ended a long championship drought.

In fact, only four players that suited up for Wednesday's Game 7 victory over the Vancouver Canucks are headed for free agency and one of

them, 43-year-old forward Mark Recchi, is retiring.

No wonder some members of the team took a break between sips of champagne to look ahead.

"The future looks bright with all the guys that we have," said Bruins forward Patrice Bergeron, who had two goals in the deciding game.

If anything, general manager Peter Chiarelli might be looking to add a few pieces. He has \$52.2 million US committed to 18 players next season — leaving him roughly \$10 million to spend with the cap expected to be set around \$62 million.

He'll also likely get back the \$4 million in cap space dedicated to forward Marc Savard, who is expected to retire because of ongoing concussion symptoms.

Chiarelli's biggest decision will be determining the fate of defenceman Tomas Kaberle, who failed to provide the power-play boost the Bruins were looking for when they acquired him from Toronto midway through the year. The veteran earned \$4.25 million this season and is an unrestricted free agent. Forward Michael Ryder is also eligible to become unrestricted on July 1 after earning \$4 million.

The only other Bruins regular in need of a contract is Brad Marchand, who earned himself some extra money by scoring 11 times in the playoffs including two in Game 7 of the final. The pesky forward is a restricted free agent who averaged a little over \$821,000 on his entry-level deal. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

# Seven points to watch this CFL season

## CFL EXTRA POINTS

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Let's kick off the 2011 CFL campaign with seven questions that should get answered between the season openers on Canada Day weekend to the time the Grey Cup is hoisted Nov. 27 in Vancouver.

1 Needing 4,200 yards to overtake Damon Allen as the CFL's career passing yards leader, Anthony Calvillo still can't get his name on many lists of the CFL's all-time greatest quarterbacks. Critics argue Calvillo lacks arm strength and mobility, both valid claims, and that his career stats are the product of longevity instead of talent. Yet late this season, A.C. should eclipse Allen's passing mark, a staggering stat north of 72,000 yards, while challenging for a third-consecutive Grey Cup ring. Will it finally be enough to help Calvillo receive the respect he deserves?

2 Greg Marshall has waited a lifetime to earn his first head-coaching job, taking over from Ken Miller as Saskatchewan's boss. Countless times Marshall has been a bridesmaid when CFL teams were courting head coaches, despite earning respect as one of the league's top defensive gurus. Marshall deserves this opportunity, but when a candidate gets passed over that many times, you have to wonder: Do other teams know something the Riders don't?

3 The Calgary Stampeders have been a perennial Grey Cup contender since QB Henry Burris arrived in 2005. But with just one championship ring in six seasons and after two straight West final losses, is time running out for the 36-year-old Burris and his talented group to claim another?

4 B.C. Lions boss Wal-ly Buono believes in QB Travis Lulay so deeply he's given the young pivot the starting role in Vancouver. Will the green Montana slinger develop into a quarterback the likes of Dave Dickenson or Jeff Garcia, two other top passers Buono helped groom?

5 The Edmonton Eskimos aren't used to losing and have handed the controls to GM Eric Tillman, who'll guide an intense rebuilding program. With a new coaching staff, can Tillman quickly produce the winning results green and gold fans demand?

6 For the second consecutive season, the Toronto Argos are destined to enter the season without a legitimate starting quarterback. The three main contenders — Cleo Lemon, a failure last season, along with backups Steven Jyles and Dalton Bell — hardly strike fear in the hearts of opponents. Who's going to help the Argos find the end zone?

7 Winnipeg's 4-14 record last season hardly suggests the team is on the verge of a Grey Cup appearance, but nine of those losses were by four points or less. Can Winnipeg turn those close losses into victories in 2011 and earn a playoff spot?

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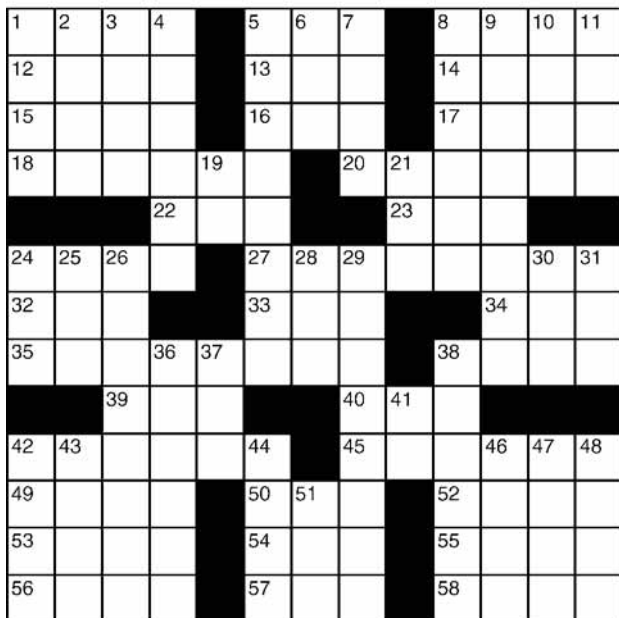
**Editor's note:** Yikes! The production gremlins were working overtime yesterday! Here's the puzzle you should've had.

### Across

- 1 Con game
- 5 Not-so-tall tale
- 8 Front projection
- 12 Needing a cane
- 13 Earlier than
- 14 Hold sway
- 15 Intl. cartel
- 16 Actress Gardner
- 17 Elevator name
- 18 Railyard sight
- 20 Result
- 22 Every last bit
- 23 15-Across' prod-uct
- 24 Gulleets
- 27 And so on
- 32 — Beta Kappa
- 33 Vast expanse
- 34 Blue
- 35 Unrelenting pest
- 38 Snakes
- 39 Storm center
- 40 Keyboard abbr.
- 42 Take out of con-text?
- 45 Small yellow fruit used in preserves
- 49 Vicinity
- 50 "Hail!"
- 52 Loosen
- 53 Optimistic
- 54 Family member
- 55 Particular
- 56 Being, to Brutus
- 57 "Of course"
- 58 "Piggies"

### Down

- 1 Messy guy
- 2 Mafia bigwig
- 3 MasterCard alter-native, briefly
- 4 Gathering places



- 5 Intrepid
- 6 Mr. Robbins who partnered with Burt Baskin
- 7 Suitor
- 8 Toaster's word
- 9 Cruel
- 10 Medley
- 11 Into the sunset
- 19 Mr. Pacino
- 21 "Ulalume" writer
- 24 Speedometer stat
- 25 "Caught ya!"
- 26 Brit's radio
- 28 Ball-bearing
- gizmo
- 29 Negligent
- 30 Knock
- 31 Billboards
- 36 Sailor's assent
- 37 Collection
- 38 Find not guilty
- 41 Therefore
- 42 Challenge
- 43 Love deity
- 44 Uncomplicated
- 46 "Do — others ..."
- 47 "Zip — -Doo-Dah"
- 48 — River, NJ
- 51 Struggle (for)

### ► Wednesday's answer



## Sudoku



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## Today's horoscope

**♈ Aries March 21-April 20** The winds of fate will soon blow you in a new direction. There's a few days to finish what you're working on.  
**♉ Taurus April 21-May 21** You may be at a low ebb at the moment but it won't be long before your enthusiasm for life returns.  
**♊ Gemini May 22-June 21** The more others say you need to act now, the more likely it is their motives are selfish.  
**♋ Cancer June 22-July 22** What you imagine today, will be reality tomorrow. Let your mind roam.

**♌ Leo July 23-Aug. 23** If you throw in the towel on something you find difficult, you'll regret it soon.  
**♍ Virgo Aug. 24-Sept. 22** The only reason a colleague is trying to put the spotlight on your errors is because he or she doesn't want others to see his or her mistakes.  
**♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23** You don't lack for ideas as to how you can improve your life and you don't lack for confidence either.  
**♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22** Some are saying you are aiming too high. As usual, they are wrong.

For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to [metronews.ca](http://metronews.ca)

**♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21** Negative thoughts tend to be self-fulfilling, don't let them take root.  
**♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20** Listen to your instincts if they tell you that something is wrong.  
**♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18** You may find it hard to get along with colleagues but just smile when they do something stupid.  
**♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20** Cosmic activity in the sympathetic sign of Cancer makes it easy for you to understand why people act the way they do. **SALLY BROMPTON**

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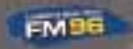
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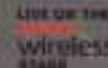
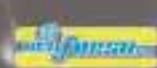
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